

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**Docket No.  
**1914**In Re Application Of: **MERKEL**Serial No.  
**10/018,651**Filing Date  
**03/01/2002**Examiner  
**GRAHAM, G.**Group Art Unit  
**1744**Invention: **LINK ELEMENT FOR WINDSHIELD WIPER****TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 10/07/2003 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*


The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    ☐ Two months    ☒ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: JANUARY 7, 2004    until: APRIL 7, 2004  
*Date*    *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$950** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **19-4675**  
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **19-4675**

  
*Signature*Dated: **APRIL 7, 2004**

CC:

I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on  
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Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA  
22313-1450.

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